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## SENATE BILL No. 110

DIGEST OF SB 110 (Updated January 11, 2010 11:43 am - DI 52)

**Citations Affected:** IC 14-33.

**Synopsis:** Conservancy district elections. Provides that if there is only one nominee for election to a conservancy district board of directors to represent an area of the conservancy district, the election for that board membership is not required to be held and the nominee is considered elected as if an election for that board membership had been held. Provides that if there is only one nominee for election to the board of directors for each area for which a director is to be elected, the election is not required to be held and each of the board members is considered to have been elected as if the election had been held.

**Effective:** July 1, 2010.

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January 5, 2010, read first time and referred to Committee on Energy and Environmental Affairs.

January 11, 2010, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2009 Regular and Special Sessions of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1       SECTION 1. IC 14-33-5-11.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA  
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2010]: **Sec. 11.5. (a) Notwithstanding the**  
4 **other provisions of this chapter, if there is only one (1) nominee for**  
5 **election to the board to represent an area, the following apply:**

6           (1) **The election for the board member to represent that area**  
7 **is not required to be held.**

8           (2) **The nominee for election to the board to represent that**  
9 **area is considered elected as if the election had been held and**  
10 **that nominee was elected as provided in this chapter.**

11       **(b) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this chapter, if there**  
12 **is only one (1) nominee for election to the board for each area for**  
13 **which a director is to be elected, the following apply:**

14           (1) **The election otherwise required to be held under this**  
15 **chapter is not required to be held.**

16           (2) **Each of the nominees for election to the board is**  
17 **considered elected as if the election had been held and each**

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nominee was elected as provided in this chapter.

SECTION 2. IC 14-33-5.4-7.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2010]: **Sec. 7.5. (a) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this chapter, if there is only one (1) nominee for election to the board to represent an area, the following apply:**

(1) The election for the board member to represent that area is not required to be held.

(2) The nominee for election to the board to represent that area is considered elected as if the election had been held and that nominee was elected as provided in this chapter.

(b) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this chapter, if there is only one (1) nominee for election to the board for each area for which a director is to be elected, the following apply:

(1) The election otherwise required to be held under this chapter is not required to be held.

(2) Each of the nominees for election to the board is considered elected as if the election had been held and each nominee was elected as provided in this chapter.

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## COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Energy and Environmental Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 110, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is made to Senate Bill 110 as introduced.)

GARD, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0.

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